



# Great Basin Priority Summary Based on Most Recent 209's

Date: 8/23/2018

Priority	ST	Unit	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	% Cont.	Expected Contain. Date	Complexity/IC	Crews Assigned		Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs	Threats
											T-1	T2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3		
IA	UT	RID	Old Canyon	Full Suppression	6 mi. W of Mona, UT	337	New	80%	8/24/18	T4 IC Kyle Gunn	0	2	0	0	0	None	New fire and Finalized
IA	ID	SCF	Fuse	Monitor	47 mi. N of Challis, ID	2	New	0%	8/30/18	T5 IC Dan Bartel	0	0	0	0	0	None	Minimal fire activity
New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin																	
1	NV	ECFX	South Sugarloaf	Full Suppression	20 mi SW of Owyhee, NV	92,031	10,906	20%	8/31/18	Type 2 Team Taiga Rohrer	7	8	3	2	2	3 T1HC, 1 T2HC, 4 HEBQ, 3 TFLD, 3 STEN, 3 STCW, 1 ATGS, 2 EMPF, 3 SOFR	Voluntary evacuations in effect for Mtn City NV, and residences along Maggie Summit
2	ID	STF	Stewart Creek	Full Suppression	18 mi. NW of Fairfield, ID	350	210	5%	9/01/18	Type 3 IC Suemnick	2	2	2	1	1	2 T1HC or T2IA, 2 T2HC, 2 Faling Teams	Cabins, grazing allotments, big game habitat.
3	ID	SCF	Rabbit Foot	Full Suppression	14 mi SW of Salmon, ID	34,518	0	10%	10/31/18	Type 1 Team Tony DeMasters	1	2	1	1	2	5 HC2IA, 1 T1 Cippers	Natural, cultural and historical resources. Residences, T&E species, Timber and grazing resources
4	NV	ELD	Goshute Cave	50% Monitor 50% Confine	55 mi. N of Ely, NV	4,485	3,690	0%	10/01/18	Type 3 IC Homes	0	1	0	0	2	If needed: 2 HC T1 or T2IA	Camp and livestock, prehistoric sites.
5	UT	MLF	Coal Hollow	Full Suppression	15 mi. SE of Spanish Fork, UT	29,912	0	80%	9/01/18	Type 1 Team Dan Dallas	2	8	1	1	1	2 HEQB	Decreased threat to values along SR-6. Structures, transmission lines, railroad, gas pipeline
6	NV	LANX	Sheep Creek	Full Suppression	15 mi N of Battle Mt., NV	59,789	0	90%	8/23/18	Type 3 Team Thaler	0	1	2	0	1	Aircraft	Ranches and residences, SGH, Mule Deer winter range
7	ID	PAF	Mesa	Full Suppression	4 mi. S of Council, ID	34,719	0	97%	8/30/18	Type 3 Team Eli Grooms	0	4	0	1	0	Demob has begun, transition back to the local 8/27/18	Pvt., BLM and FS timbered lands. SGH, grazing allotments



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\*\*\* Notes of Significance \*\*\*  
Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a final ICS-209

Great Basin Final 209's

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	UT	NES	Dollar Ridge	Full Suppression	8 mi SW of Duchesne, UT	70,003	0	94%	9/01/18	T4 IC Thomas Grubbs	0	0	0	0	0	None	Minimal fire behavior along the perimeter
	ID	MHQ	Pot Hole	Full Suppression	23 SE of Mountain Home, ID	4,915	0	100%	8/23/18	T4 IC Nate Berryhill	0	0	0	0	0	None	None

## Evening Brief

Date: Thursday August 23, 2018

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### Weather Summary

#### \*\*\* **Gusty winds across parts of the Great Basin next few days**\*\*\*

Drier air will spread across most of the area Friday, with winds increasing over southern and eastern Nevada into western Utah and especially across southern Idaho ahead of an approaching trough of low pressure. SW wind gusts 20-30 mph will occur over southern/eastern Nevada into Utah, with W to NW wind gusts 30-40+ mph across parts of southern and southeast Idaho. RH will be in the 10-15% range across Idaho, and lower into the 7-10% range further south.

#### **High Risk has been issued for parts of ID through Saturday.**

Winds will decrease on Saturday, but still remain moderate and increase again over much of the Great Basin on Sunday ahead of a stronger cold front, with temperatures gradually cooling 5-10 degrees across the northern half of the Great Basin.

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### Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	5	Light IA Attack Activity
National	5	GB New Fires and Acres: 17 fires 362.3 acres; 14,806 acres large fire growth

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Great Basin Fuel Status [interactive link](#) (Use Edge, Chrome or Firefox browsers)

**Fuels and Fire Behavior advisory has been issued for [Northern Great Basin](#)**

**\*The interactive link updated 8/23/2018**

### Fuels/Fire Potential

A Fuel/Fire Behavior advisory has been issued for North/West Nevada into Idaho and Northern Utah. This advisory can be found here: <https://gacc.nifc.gov/gbcc/fuels.php>

Widespread areas of critically dry fuels continue across the northern half of the Geographic Area, although ERCs have decreased some with the showers and thunderstorms that moved across the area yesterday. However, ERC's are still in the 80th to 95th percentile across ID/WY/Nrn NV into Nrn UT, with pockets above the 97th percentile.

Sagebrush Live Fuel Moisture levels across the northern half of the Great Basin are near or below mid-August normals, and grasses are cured in all areas. ERC's are below the 50th percentile across most of the southern third of Nevada, southern Utah, into the AZ Strip, with only a few remaining stations in the 70th-80th percentile in southern/southeast Utah, which is near record levels for this time of year in those southern areas. However, increasing moisture by midweek across southern/eastern Nevada into Utah and the AZ Strip should knock fuels down considerably.

## Resources:

### Aviation within the Great Basin

- 2 VLAT's, 5 LATs, 0 CL-415
- 21 SEATs, 2 Fire Bosses
- 8 Type 1 Helicopters / 7 Committed
- 7 Type 2 Helicopters / 5 Committed
- 20 Type 3 Helicopters

### Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 12 IHCs Committed / 0 Available
- 23 T-2 IAs Committed / 0 Available

## Current Incident Details

### Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Long Ridge**	2018-UTSWS-000692	0.1	Controlled 08/22/18	37.36293	113.7262	NO
Pine Grove**	2018-UTCCD-000700	0.5	Not Contained	38.31906	113.5847	NO
Hoyt Canyon**	2018-UTNES-200877	0.1	Contained 08/23/18	40.69412	111.2479	FWS-OCC
White Cliffs**	2018-UTCCD-000701	0.1	Contained 08/23/18	37.22599	112.7565	NO
James**	2018-IDBOF-000942	0.1	Not Contained	43.80151	115.1769	NO
Jonathan Road	2018-IDPAF-000390	1	Not Contained	44.33742	117.0897	GHMA
Ranch	2018-NVEFKX-030554	9	Controlled 08/23/18	38.9977	119.7168	NO
Hopi	2018-NVECFX-010322	4	Not Contained	40.91241	115.716	GHMA
Sandy	2018-UTCCD-000703	0.1	Not Contained	37.00928	112.7383	NO
West Weber	2018-UTBRS-000883	0.1	Out 08/23/18	41.25015	112.2213	NO
Summit Peak	2018-UTNES-000882	0.1	Not Contained	40.71885	111.6101	NO
Crane	2018-NVEKD-010323	15	Not Contained	40.47278	115.9565	PHMA
County Line	2018-NVNNS-010324	30	Not Contained	40.6462	116.15853	PHMA
Tepee	2018-WYBTF-001814	1.9	Not Contained	43.54816	110.3125	GHMA
Deer Hollow	2018-UTCCD-000706	0.1	Not Contained	37.5351	113.237	NO
RA 10 Washington CO	2018-ID1WX-000948	300	Not Contained	44.42284	116.6732	GHMA
West Iron Town	2018-UTDIF-000707	0.1	Not Contained	37.61132	113.4703	NO

***\*\*fires occurred previous night, not previously reported***

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)